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FALL BULBS

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SWEET PEA COLLECTIONS

EARLY SPENCERS

A money-saving collection of five different colors of Early Spencer Sweet Peas in five 15c packets for a beautiful and complete assortment. Blooms 3 to 4 weeks ahead of the Late Spencers, avoiding hot weather.

5 Pkts. Value 75c for just..... **50¢**

LATE SPENCERS

Longest stems, tall plants, and biggest flowers, many waved and frilled. This collection includes seven 10c packets in seven different and lovely colors. Plant for a succession of bloom after the Early Spencers.

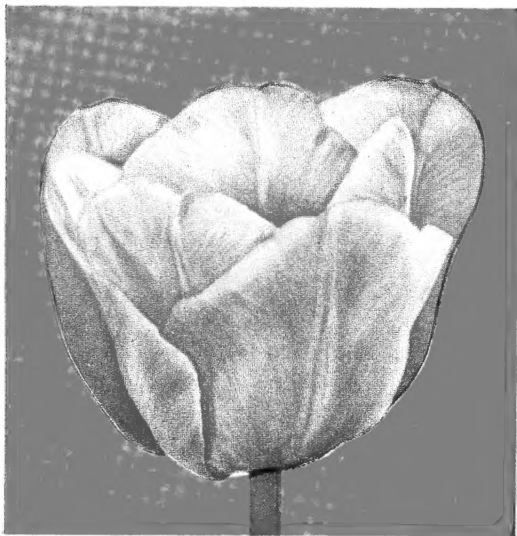
7 Pkts. Value 70c for just..... **50¢**

Lago Giant TULIPS

Lago tulip bulbs are all top size stock. This means that in all the Darwins and all the mixtures every bulb is 12 centimeters or more around.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM

Old rose, deepening to crimson as the flower matures. Very tall, with heavy, massive flowers.
3 bulbs 40c; 12 bulbs \$1.45



BLUE AIMABLE

Top size and top quality bulbs guarantee the largest and best flowers for you since the size of the flower depends on the size of the bulb.

CLARA BUTT

The most beautiful pink tulip, borne on stiff, strong stems, about 2 ft. tall. Always a leader.
3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.65

BLUE AIMABLE

Large flowers of a soft bluish heliotrope color.
3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.65

QUEEN OF NIGHT

The deepest imaginable midnight maroon color.
3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90

CITY OF HAARLEM

The most brilliant, lively scarlet coloring, with a touch of white at the base of the petals.
3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.65

INSURPASSABLE

Orchid-lavender with white center and purple pollen.
3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90

ALLARD PIERSON

Beautiful, rich, deep cardinal red. The earliest Darwin.
3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.45

DUKE OF WELLINGTON

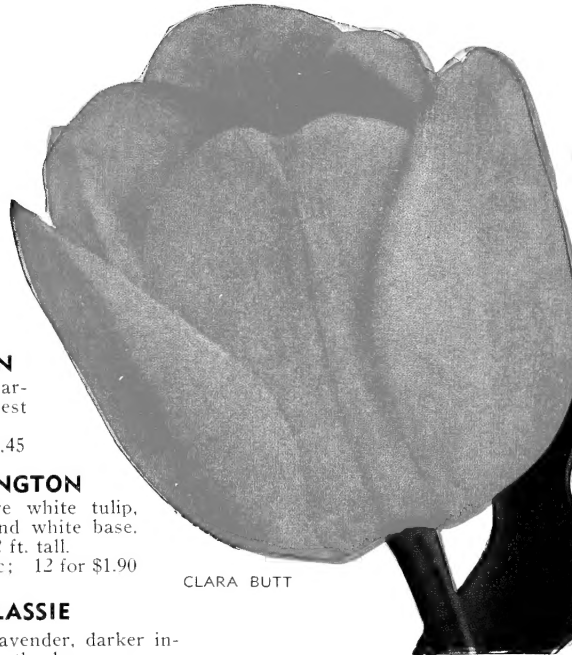
The very finest pure white tulip, with ivory anthers and white base. Long petals. Plants 2 ft. tall.
3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90

SCOTCH LASSIE

Pure, deep lavender, darker inside; blue at the base.
3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.45

YELLOW GIANT

A fine, bright yellow flower, harmonizing nicely with every other tulip color in the garden.
3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.45



CLARA BUTT

PRINCESS ELIZABETH

Lilac-rose, with lighter edge of pure rose. White base.
3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.45

WM. PITT

Glowing scarlet tinted orange.
3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.45

Special Tulip Mixtures

COTTAGE MIXTURE

Includes many varieties in appealing, soft shades, as well as strong, bold colors. A diversified group.
12 bulbs \$1.30;
25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$8.50

DARWIN MIXTURE

This mixture includes all the tall and stately Darwins described above, plus other clear, pure colors.
12 bulbs \$1.30; 25 for \$2.25;
100 for \$8.50; 500 for \$35.00

DOUBLE TULIP MIXTURE

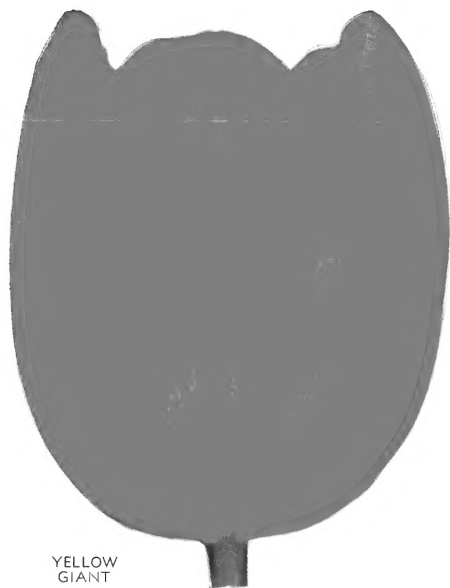
All double flowers in pink, red, yellow, white, and rose. Peony-like blooms.
12 bulbs \$1.50;
25 for \$2.85; 100 for \$11.00

BREEDER MIXTURE

Brown, copper, olive, buff, purple, orange and bronze colors in this group.
12 bulbs \$1.50;
25 for \$2.85; 100 for \$11.00

RAINBOW TULIP MIXTURE

Here is a fine mixture of all kinds and colors of finest tulip varieties. For a very wide assortment of top quality bulbs, this is your best buy.
12 bulbs \$1.25; 25 for \$2.20; 100 for \$8.25; 500 for \$34.00



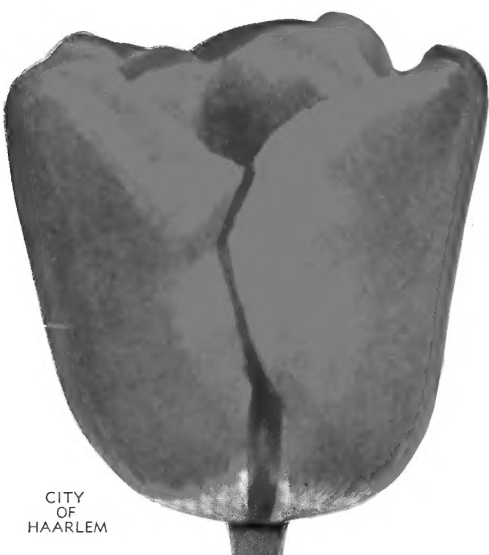
YELLOW GIANT



QUEEN OF NIGHT

FANTASY	RED EMPEROR	KEIZERSKROON
Curious twisted and fringed pink petals streaked green. 3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.50	Extra early, extremely large scarlet flower. Recommended. 3 bulbs 55c; 12 for \$1.75	Very early, colorful scarlet and yellow blooms. 16 in. tall. 3 bulbs 55c; 12 for \$1.75

PRIDE OF HAARLEM



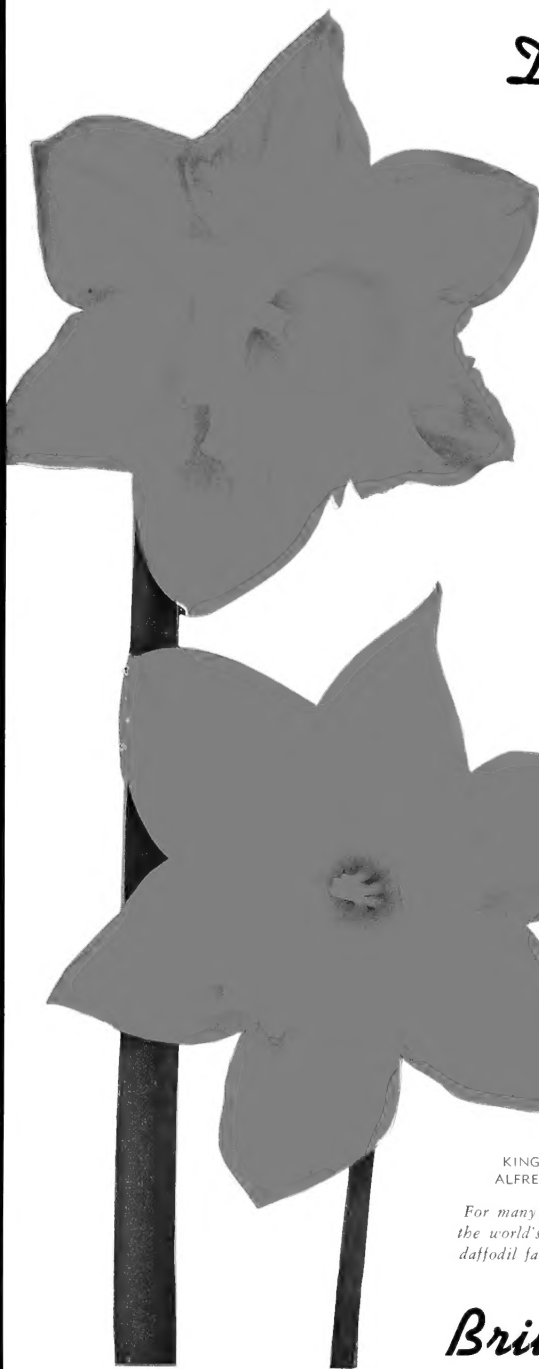
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INSURPASSABLE



Double-nose DAFFODILS from Lago



Giant Trumpets

KING ALFRED

The most popular of all daffodils, this world-famed variety is the one you cannot be without. Pure, golden yellow, large, vigorous, dependable.

3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90; 25 for \$3.75; 100 for \$14.00

BEERSHEBA

Finest pure white daffodil, with huge, 5 in. blooms. Ruffled trumpet.

3 for \$2.15; 12 for \$8.40

LOVENEST

Rare pink. White perianth with trumpet changing from yellow to pink.

3 bulbs \$1.50; 12 for \$5.40

AEROLITE

Primrose petals with medium yellow trumpet. Long lasting.

3 bulbs 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.90

WINTER GOLD

Bright yellow flower, blooming in February at Sacramento.

3 bulbs 65c; 12 for \$2.35; 25 for \$4.25

MRS. E. H. KRELAGE

Ivory and yellow, changing to solid ivory. Excellent form.

3 bulbs 90c; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75

THE FIRST

The very earliest. Pure yellow.

3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.00

ALASNAM

Densely frilled, wide trumpet. Yellow.

3 bulbs 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.90

WARWICK

Golden yellow. An outstanding selection out of King Alfred, being both larger and earlier than its parent.

3 bulbs 90c; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE

The famous pink daffodil. White petals, with the trumpet apricot pink at the base, changing to shell pink at the edge.

3 bulbs \$1.50; 12 for \$5.40; 25 for \$10.00

KING ALFRED

For many years the world's great daffodil favorite.

Medium Trumpets

SILVER STAR

White perianth with primrose trumpet. Delicate shade.

3 bulbs 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75

HERA

Creamy white, with trumpet beautifully edged primrose.

3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.35

NETTE O'MELVENY

White petals, lemon-yellow cup, with orange around the edge.

3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.35

FORTUNE

Creamy yellow perianth with rich orange crown. Frilled.

3 bulbs 90c; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75

JOHN EVELYN

White petals with densely frilled, shirred, and fluted yellow cup.

3 bulbs 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75

DAMSON

Yellow and white petals with brilliant fuchsia-red crown.

3 bulbs 60c; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.90

CARLTON

Pure yellow over-all, with frilled brim on the cup.

3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90; 25 for \$3.75

WHITELEY GEM

Perianth deep golden yellow, crown bright orange-red.

3 bulbs 90c; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75

DICK WELLBAND

Flaming orange cup surrounded by a pure white perianth.

3 bulbs 75c; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.75

CROESUS

Canary yellow perianth, with a broad, fluted crown of rich orange. Overlapping petals. An exhibition flower.

3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.35

FRANCISCA DRAKE

Silvery-white perianth tinted gold at the base; the cup is wide, ruffled, and grading from yellow to flame-orange.

3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90; 25 for \$3.75

Small Trumpets

DIANA KASNER

The perianth is cream; the broad cup is yellow, with a frilled edge of blood-red.

3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.35

FIRETAIL

Tiny, crinkled cup of fiery orange and red. White perianth.

3 bulbs 90c; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75

LAURENS KOSTER

Clusters of fragrant white and yellow flowers. Tall stems.

3 bulbs 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50

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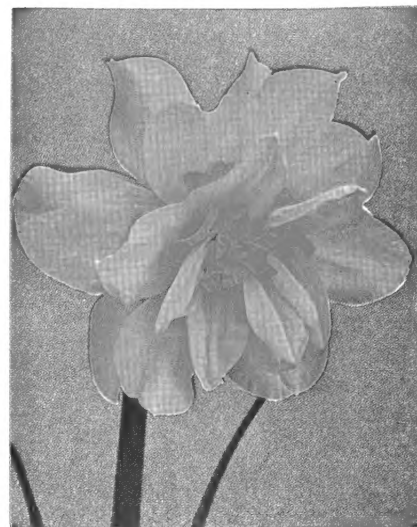
Clustered flowers of two-toned yellow. Delicious fragrance.

3 bulbs 45c; 12 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.35

THALIA

Orchid Narcissus. Fragrant, white flowers, 2 or 3 to a stem.

3 bulbs 90c; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75



TWINK

Double-flowered types

TWINK

Double flowers as illustrated above.

3 bulbs 65c; 12 for \$2.35; 25 for \$4.25

CHEERFULNESS

Double white and yellow flowers. Multiple blooms.

3 bulbs 35c; 12 for \$1.35; 25 for \$2.50

True Jonquil

TREVITHIAN

Lemon-yellow jonquil blossoms, 2 or more on a stem, with the sweet jonquil fragrance.

3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.90; 25 for \$3.75

Special

NATURALIZING MIXTURE

Plant these specially selected bulbs in your meadow, lawn, or among your shrubbery. They will thrive and multiply through the years, with the ease of real wildflowers.

12 bulbs \$1.35; 25 for \$2.75; 100 for \$10.00



RANUNCULUS

Brilliant RANUNCULUS

No flower can compete with ranunculus for sheer brilliance of color. Bulbs should be planted 2 in. deep and 6 to 8 in. apart, with the claws pointed down. Give winter protection in cold regions.

RANUNCULUS (Top size)

Red	Yellow	White	Pink
Any color:	12 bulbs \$1.20;		
	25 for \$2.25;	100 for \$7.50	
Mixed colors:	12 bulbs 90c;		
	25 for \$1.65;	100 for \$5.75	

RANUNCULUS (2nd size)

Red	Yellow	White	Pink
Any color:	12 bulbs 85c;		
	25 for \$1.55;	100 for \$5.25	
Mixed colors:	12 bulbs 75c;		
	25 for \$1.40;	100 for \$4.95	

ANEMONES

Available in two types. The De Caen is single flowered, and the St. Bridgid is double flowered. Plant bulbs with pointed end down, 2 1/2 in. deep, in a sunny location.

DE CAEN—Single poppy flowered. Grows 1 1/2 ft. tall with flowers 2 1/2 in. across. Early blooming.

Blue Poppy—Bright mid-blue.

The Bride—Pure white.

His Excellency—Red.

Any of the above, 12 bulbs \$1.25; 25 for \$2.25; 100 for \$7.00

De Caen Mixed Colors 12 bulbs 90c; 25 for \$1.65; 100 for \$5.00

ST. BRIGID

Beautiful double and semi-double flowers in a wide range of bright colors. Blooming with the tulips and daffodils, they make most attractive cut flowers as well as good border subjects.

12 bulbs \$1.25; 25 for \$2.75; 100 for \$7.00



ST. BRIGID ANEMONE
Bright double and semi-double flowers



FRAGRANT HYACINTHS

HYACINTHS

Many perfectly shaped flowers crowded on sturdy spikes make fragrance enough to scent the whole garden. Set the bulbs with the base 6 in. deep. Hyacinths may also be forced indoors, in which case they are planted only neck deep, or grown in special glasses.

Red	Pink	Blue
Yellow	White	Mixed Colors
Any of the above hyacinths:		
3 bulbs \$1.00; 12 for \$3.50; 25 for \$6.75		

NOTICE!

Everything listed in this leaflet comes to you postpaid. We cannot accept C.O.D. orders for bulbs, nor can we undertake shipment outside the United States. California customers please include 3% sales tax.

NARCISSUS

Marvelously fragrant and easy to grow just in water and pebbles. Start bulbs in a cool, dark place for a week or more before forcing.

PAPER WHITE NARCISSUS

Produces up to 20 fragrant white flowers on a stem.

3 bulbs 50c; 12 for \$1.85; 25 for \$3.65

CHINESE SACRED LILY

Fragrant, clustered, single white flowers with yellow cup.

3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.40; 25 for \$2.75

GRAND SOLEIL D'OR

Massed clusters of fragrant yellow flowers.

3 bulbs 40c; 12 for \$1.40; 25 for \$2.75



PAPER WHITE NARCISSUS



FREESIAS



CROCUS

DUTCH IRIS

NATIONAL VELVET

Rich, deep, velvety violet-purple, entirely unique in this iris family. New and very choice.

3 bulbs 65c; 12 for \$2.40; 25 for \$4.75

WEDGWOOD

Standards of pale wedgwood blue, with falls of deeper blue. Early and showy.

24 in. tall. 6 bulbs 40c; 12 for 75c; 25 for \$1.40

These hardy, bulbous iris should be planted 5 in. deep and about 6 in. apart. Choose several varieties to make a good assortment of colors.

White Excelsior Pure white, with broad falls.

Imperator Intense, dark blue. Long stems.

Blue Horizon Violet-blue, grading to soft sky-blue.

Yellow Queen Deep, golden yellow. 28 in. tall.

6 bulbs 45c; 12 for 85c; 25 for \$1.65

FREESIAS

Beautiful and fragrant flowers, hardy in mild climates, and delightful house plants everywhere. Plant 3 in. deep.

Yellow	Pink	White
Red	Orange	Mixed
If grown indoors, keep the plants in a cool room.		
Any of the above: 6 bulbs 50c;		
12 for 90c; 25 for \$1.75		

CROCUS

These bright flowers popping up in the lawn are better than a calendar as an announcement of spring. Large bulbs.

Blue	Yellow	Purple
White	Striped	Mixed
Plant the bulbs 2 to 3 in. deep.		
Any of the above: 12 bulbs 50c;		
25 for 90c; 100 for \$3.20		

F. Lagomarsino AND SONS

SACRAMENTO 5

CALIFORNIA



DUTCH IRIS

FLOWER SEEDS *for Fall Planting*

PANSIES

Butterfly Hybrid Superbly large, strongly ruffled, and beautifully colored in many pastel shades. The very best. Pkt. \$1.00; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$7.50

Lago Special Giant Mixture The largest flowers, up to 4 in. across. Many colors. Pkt. 50c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$2.00

VERBENA

Extremely colorful and free blooming flowers, perennial in California. Dwarf, spreading, and densely branched.

Hybrida Grandiflora Mixed (8 in.)
Dwarf Compact Mixed (4 to 6 in.)
Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 55c

LAGO SPECIAL
GIANT PANSIES



DELPHINIUM

Round Table Series Tall, graceful plants of the famous Pacific Giant strain. Huge, double flowers in all the delphinium colors. Strongly mildew resistant. Pkt. 75c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$3.00

FOXGLOVE

Giant Shirley Mixed Biennial. Tall spires loaded with blossoms in white, pink, or rose, spotted maroon or crimson. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c

PYRETHRUM

Superb Mixed The hardy perennial Painted Daisy, in rose, pink, crimson and white. Single flowers. Pkt. 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 60c

SNAPDRAGON

Mixed Colors Yellow, crimson, bronze, pink and white. 3 ft. tall, base branching, rust resistant. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 95c

CAMPANULA

Cup and Saucer Mixed Biennial Canterbury Bells. Blue, rose and white. Grows 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 80c

GEUM

Continuous flowering perennial, 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Mrs. Bradshaw
Double orange-scarlet.

Lady Stratheden
Double golden yellow. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 45c

STOCKS

Imperial Giants Mixed Rose, ivory, yellow, purple, lilac, pink and white. Fragrant, mostly double flowers. 26 in. tall. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 60c

GERBERA

Mixed Colors The popular and beautiful Transvaal Daisy, with 2 to 4 in., long-petaled flowers in many colors. Perennial. Pkt. 50c

PHLOX

Mixed Colors This is the perennial type, with many colors from which selections may be increased by root division. Pkt. 25c

LARKSPUR

Giant Imperial Mixed Blue, rose, lavender, white double florets on tall spikes. Base branching. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c

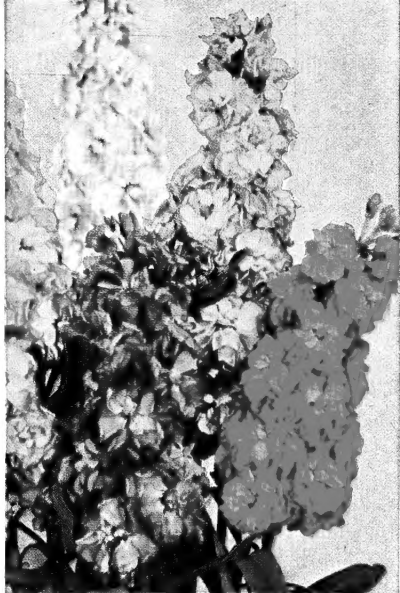
SCABIOSA

Caucasica Perennial, with large fringed and ruffled blue flowers. Pkt. 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 85c

Columbaria Perennial, with delicately shaded pink blooms all summer. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 60c

HOLLYHOCK

Chater's Double Mixed Five to 6 ft. tall, with large, double blooms in crimson, maroon, pink, white, and yellow. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c



IMPERIAL GIANT STOCKS

CALENDULA

Pacific Beauties Huge, double flowers in cream, apricot, yellow and orange. New and choice. Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 45c

CORAL BELLS

Sanguinea Charming perennial with 1½ ft. wiry stems bearing many tiny coral bells. Pkt. 25c; $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 75c

SWEET PEAS

Ruffled Giant Mixed All colors. Pkt. 25c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 60c; oz. \$1.00

Early Spencer Mixed Colors
Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c; oz. 55c

Late Spencer Mixed Colors
Pkt. 10c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 30c; oz. 50c

Cuthbertson Mixed Colors
Pkt. 15c; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. 35c; oz. 55c